

House Resolution 37 - Introduced

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 37

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1 A Resolution honoring Kennedy High School in Cedar
2 Rapids, named as Iowa's best.

3 WHEREAS, Iowa's quarter-dollar commemorative
4 coin produced by the United State Mint depicts
5 an Iowa school house and proclaims "Foundation in
6 Education"; and

7 WHEREAS, the truth of that bold statement is found
8 at Kennedy High School in Cedar Rapids, named Iowa's
9 best by the U.S. News and World Report; and

10 WHEREAS, this designation followed a rigorous
11 study, based on key principles that a great high school
12 must serve all of its students well, not just those
13 who are college-bound, and that it must be able to
14 produce measurable academic outcomes across a range
15 of performance indicators, to show that the school is
16 successfully educating its student body; and

17 WHEREAS, the study involved 21,035 public high
18 schools in 49 states and the District of Columbia; NOW
19 THEREFORE,

20 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
21 That the House of Representatives honors Principal
22 Mary Wilcynski, the staff, the proud parents, and the
23 students of Kennedy High School on being named Iowa's
24 best high school in 2013.